

~~WHEREAS, The definition of "game--birds--or--mammals"--in--§ 10-101(h)--of--the--Natural--Resources--Article--contains--the--list--of mammals--that--are--included--in--the--definition--of--"game--mammal"; now, therefore,~~

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Natural Resources

10-101.

(a) In this title, the following words have the meanings indicated.

(e) "Forest game birds and mammals" means forest game birds (ruffed grouse and turkey) and forest game mammals (black bears, deer, fox squirrels, excluding the Delmarva subspecies, and gray and redsquirrels) or any part, egg, offspring, or dead body of any of them.

(g) "Fur-bearing mammal" means any raccoon, opossum, beaver, mink, muskrat, otter, fox, skunk, fisher, and long-tailed weasel, or any part, offspring, or dead body of any of them.

(h) "Game birds or mammals" means the species defined as forest game birds and mammals, fur-bearing mammals, upland game birds and mammals, and wetland game birds or any part, egg, offspring, or dead body of any of them.

(u) "Upland game birds and mammals" means upland game birds (blackbirds, crows, doves, pheasant, quail, and woodcock) and upland game mammals (rabbit and hare) or any part, egg, offspring, or dead body of any of them.

10-415.

[(h) Any person who hunts deer and any person who accompanies, aids, or assists another person hunting deer, shall wear either a cap, vest, or jacket or a jacket containing back and front panels of a daylight fluorescent orange color. This section does not apply to any person who hunts on his property without a hunter's license nor to any person hunting deer with a bow and arrow during the season restricted to hunting with a bow and arrow.]

10-418.

(A) THIS SECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO ANY PERSON WHO:

(1) HUNTS ANY GAME-MAMMAL WILDLIFE ON THE PERSON'S PROPERTY WITHOUT WITH OR WITHOUT A HUNTER'S LICENSE; OR